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SUBJECT: APPARENT IMPROVEMENT IN EGYPTIAN-LIBYAN RELATIONS

1. AHRAH NOVEMBER 3 CARRIES ARTICLE INDICATING WILLINGNESS OF LIBYAN RCC CHAIRMAN QADHAFI TO IMPROVE ECONOMIC RELATIONS WITH EGYPT. ARTICLE RELATES MISSION OF EGYPTIAN NATIONAL MUHAMMAD SHAHIN, DEPUTY SPEAKER OF PARLIAMENT OF CONFEDERATION OF ARAB REPUBLICS (EGYPT, LIBYA, SYRIA), TO TRIPOLI, DURING WHICH QADHAFI PROPOSED VISIT IN NEAR FUTURE OF EGYPTIAN MINECON TO LIBYA TO DISCUSS IMPLEMENTATION OF LIBYAN GOVERNMENT INVESTMENT PROJECTS IN EGYPT. QADHAFI ALSO ALLEGEDLY PROPOSED OPENING EGYPTIAN TECHNICAL OFFICE IN TRIPOLI TO SPUR EGYPTIAN-LIBYAN SCIENTIFIC AND ECONOMIC COOPERATION.

2. SHAHIN TOLD AHRAH THAT HE HAD MADE HASTY VISIT OCTOBER 31 TO CHICAGO TO MAKE PRELIMINARY REPORT OF HIS DISCUSSIONS
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WITH QADHAFI TO PRESIDENT SADAT. SHAHIN ALSO STATED THAT

QADHAFI HAD AGREED TO OPEN EGYPTIAN-LIBYAN BORDER TO TRAFFIC
AND TO IMPLEMENT LAW CONCERNING PROPERTIES HELD BY EGYTPANS IN
LIBYA.

3. COMMENT: NO INDICATION GIVEN IN ARTICLE AS TO REASONS FOR
QADHAFI'S SUPPOSED CHANGE OF HEART. ARTICLE QUITE SHORT, BUT
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